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Filing Date	28 December 2000
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Group Art Unit	1653
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Title of the Invention: **O-SUPERFAMILY CONOTOXIN PEPTIDES**

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action mailed 19 November 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as shown on the following pages. Material deleted is shown by strikethrough and material added is shown by underlining.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 2-4, 6, 9, 11-14, 22-28 and 30-38 without prejudice to filing one or more continuation and/or division applications.

Please amend claims 1, 5, 7, 8, 10 and 15-20 as shown on the attached pages. Material deleted is shown by strikethrough and material added is shown by underlining.

Please add new claims 39-43 as shown on the attached pages.